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Research and Development Support
for the Clandestine Services

1. Policy



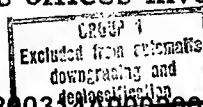
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c. DD/S&T/ORD has as its primary responsibility the conduct of applied research and exploratory development on behalf of all directorates of the Agency.

d. TSD, cognizant of the ORD mission in (c) above places primary emphasis on the development and engineering phases of R&D.

e. Security, technical capabilities, operational expediency, and other factors may from time to time alter the boundary noted in (c) and (d) when it is deemed desirable by the offices involved.

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2. Objectives

a. The primary objective is to present the Agency's management with an integrated R&D planning, budgeting and program execution for R&D support of the Clandestine Services.

b. Secondary objectives are the increased communication and efficiency resulting from such integrated programming.

3. Procedures

a. TSD will canvas the Clandestine Services for valid, operationally pertinent R&D requirements. It will integrate as many of those requirements as manpower, funds, and priorities allow into its R&D programming for the coming fiscal year. In those areas where the ORD mission of applied research and for exploratory development apply, TSD, will articulate as clearly as possible the technical and operational requirement and submit them to ORD for consideration.

b. At a series of planning and programming meetings held well in advance of the customary budget submissions, TSD, and ORD will ~~attempt to~~ integrate their R&D programs in support of Clandestine requirements.

c. At such meetings the specific nature of the R&D to be undertaken, its relative priority, and the actual individuals to be directly concerned will be identified.

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d. Once such a program is agreed upon, both TSD [] and
ORD will take all steps necessary to keep each other informed on
all ~~necessary~~ technical aspects of the specific projects and those
closely related. This should include mutual ^{exchange} review of ~~ORD collected~~
^{reports + meetings} proposals ~~and~~ joint visits to related ORD and TSD [] contractors.

e. TSD [] will ~~endeavor to~~ keep the related ORD project
officer current on any pertinent operational information effecting the
ORD project.

f. At the time a specific ORD project in support of a CS require-
ment is to be initiated or significantly altered, the Office of the
Chief, TSD [] should be notified of such intended action for information
and any final comment.

g. Because ORD is also conducting R&D on behalf of other Agency
customers or of broad general interest, it will be necessary, from
time to time, for it to bring to TSD [] attention certain accomplish-
ments, "spinoff," etc., of potential interest to the Clandestine Services.

h. In order to facilitate the broadest understanding between
ORD and TSD [] management of the nature and scope of each
other's activities, a number of seminars patterned after the TSD []
[] Seminar should be instituted. ~~One of these seminars~~

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should be devoted to an exposure of TSD/ to the proposed CRD
program for the coming year with some emphasis upon the CS related
R&D. ^{They} The ~~second~~ should present ORD with a review of TSD
activities in areas of mutual ORD/TSD interest. Finally, the TSD
 Seminar should incorporate the pertinent portions of
the ORD program for review by senior CS officers.

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